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An Ideal Xmas Gift

James Penney Passed Away On Saturday

Came to Coleman in 1925;
Funeral Held on Wednesday
Morning.

The death occurred in the hospital on Saturday, Dec. 9, of James Penney, 71, well known resident of Coleman. Deceased had been sickly for a number of weeks and last week his son Steve was called to Calgary due to his father's failing condition and who remained with him to the end.

Born in Newfoundland Feb. 18, 1873, he grew up on the island and married Miss Annie Hawco. They raised their family there and in 1920 came west, where they settled at Lethbridge, Mr. Penney gaining employment with the coal company at Coalhurst. In 1925 they moved to Coleman, where they have resided since. In the fall of 1925 Mr. Penney received serious injury to his leg and since that time he had been compelled to walk with the aid of a cane.

On Wednesday morning at 10:30 Requiem High Mass was held at Holy Ghost church, Rev. Father L. Sullivan conducting. Burial was in the local Catholic cemetery.

Pallbearers included J. A. MacDonald, J. Lipovski, W. Smith, J. MacNeil, C. MacQuarrie and E. Hill.

Surviving are the widow; Phillip and Bernard, of Nova Scotia; and Steve, of Coleman, and a daughter, Mary, of Coleman. There are also fifteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
DEC. 22 TO JAN. 3

Principal Hoyle announces that the Christmas and New Year's school holidays will extend from Friday, Dec. 22, to Wednesday, Jan. 3.

PALACE THEATRE HIGH-CLASS ENTERTAINMENT

Program For Coming Week —

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, December 16, 18 and 19

Tallulah BANKHEAD and William BENDIX, in

“LIFEBOAT”

Six Men and Two Women....Adrift in a Lifeboat....
With no Law but the Wild Sea!

also NEWS and NOVELTY

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 20, 21 and 22

DOUBLE PROGRAM

Donald O'CONNOR, Peggy RYAN, Ann BLYTH, in

“Chip Off The Old Block”

also Irene HERVEY and Kent TAYLOR, in

“Half Way To Shanghai”

Cole's Theatre, Bellevue

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 16, 18 and 19

Bette DAVIS, Claude RAINS and Walter ABLE in

Mr. Skiffington

A very good drama

also NEWS and NOVELTY

Orpheum Theatre, *Blairmore*

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 16, 18 and 19

DOUBLE PROGRAM

Johnny WEISSMÜLLER and Nancy KELLY in

“TARZAN'S DESERT MYSTERY”

and Alan CARNEY and Wally BROWN in

“ROOKIES IN BURMA”

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TO PUBLISH CHRISTMAS
ISSUE DEC. 21

The Journal will publish its Christmas issue, containing the season's greetings from Coleman and district business men, along with the annual Christmas messages of the local clergy, on Thursday, Dec. 21. Anyone wishing to submit advertising, greetings, stories, etc., are asked to have copy ready by next Monday evening at the latest.

“Teen Towners” Addressed Lions Club

Plan An Organization to
Promote Various Subjects.

On Monday evening two high school students, the Misses Lorraine Van Maaron and L. Evans, organizers of Teen Towners, were present at the Lions supper-meeting to give the membership an idea of what the youth of the town would like to sponsor here.

They wanted an organization of boys and girls, ranging in age from 13 to 19 years. They desired some building where they would be free to come and go as they wished. They wanted the organization to sponsor various branches of sport, as well as dancing, art, stamp collecting, sculpture, etc. They desired a jute box to aid in dancing and also a refreshment counter, whereby refreshments could be sold and revenue collected to defray the expenses of Teen Town.

A great deal of discussion took place among the membership and at the next directors' meeting it will be given more detailed discussion. Lions have promised their support to the Teen Towners.

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OMISSION

Last week, in reporting the election of officers for 1944-45 for the Canadian Legion, the name of vice-president James Lowe was inadvertently omitted.

Municipal Hospital Vote Takes Place This Saturday; Polling Stations At Community Hall & Cameron School

Decision of Whether or Not Pass
is to Have a Modern Hospital
Now Lies in Hands of Ratepayers;
a “No” Vote Will Set Back
Scheme For Many Years.

Upon the ratepayers of the newly established Crows' Nest Pass Municipal Hospital District rests the answer whether or not the Crows' Nest Pass in 1945 will boast of a fully modern municipal hospital. They will record their decision at the various polling booths established throughout the district on Saturday, Dec. 16.

In Coleman there are two polling booths. One at Cameron school, which will accommodate all ratepayers residing west of the bluff leading into West Coleman, and also those residing at Sentinel and west to the provincial border. All ratepayers residing on the east side of Eastern Avenue in the Town of Coleman to west boundary of section 10, township 8, range 4, west of the 5th meridian, will vote in

Staff Sergeant Irene Brennan Patient In A British Hospital

A letter was received last week from Rev Father J. T. Dunbar, now an honorary major in the Canadian army overseas, by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brennan, advising them that their daughter, S/Sgt. Irene, was a patient at the Basingstoke Neurological hospital, where he has been based for some considerable time.

Father Dunbar stated that her injury was such that at the time of writing she knew nothing outside the fact that she came from Coleman. However, he was of the opinion that within a few weeks her injury would clean up quite satisfactorily, as is usually the case with injuries of this nature. He promised to write within the next few days.

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New Grocery Store Opens For Business In West Coleman

Louis Bubniak and John Gejdos
Partners in New Business;
Located in Stelvuk Building.

A new grocery and meat store opened for business on Monday morning last in the Stelvuk building in West Coleman. Louis Bubniak and John Gejdos are partners in the new business, having received their business license only last week.

Mr. Bubniak and his daughter, Christine, are the regular staff, with George Misura as part-time butcher. Mr. Bubniak recently received his release from the mine, due to sickness.

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URGE WAR CERTIFICATES AS XMAS GIFTS

Mrs. I. Richards is very busy supervising the sale of War Savings Stamps and Certificates in this community. The war savings stamp committee is looking forward to a large sale of war savings stamps during the Christmas season. Very attractive Christmas cards for the insertion of the stamps and certificates can be had at all banks and post offices. The committee express the hope that people will send stamps and certificates, rather than merchandise, this Christmas, due to the shortage of suitable gifts in the stores of the community.

The lack of merchandise is not only being experienced in our own community, but it is a condition which is prevalent all across Canada. Hopes are that next year more goods will be available, but, in the meantime, the stamp committee are urging that people take advantage of this wonderful investment and start their friends on a savings campaign.

the Community hall.

Should the ratepayers vote “yes,” it will be the responsibility of the provincial board to go into detail pertaining to many matters. Priorities will be secured from Ottawa for building material, contracts will be awarded and the hospital rapidly take shape. It is an institution which the citizens of the Pass need badly. It has been publicly stated that the cost of hospitalization in this proposed new hospital will be no more than that paid by ratepayers today for the hospitalization at present available to them in the three Pass towns.

If the vote goes “no,” it will set the scheme back possibly five to ten years, but it is doubtful if it will kill the will of some progressively-minded citizens throughout the Pass to come back stronger than ever to try once again to get a modern hospital in the Pass Also, if it is a “no” vote, all the work done by this provisional board will be lost.

Forty Eight Boys Register For Pee Wee Hockey Teams

Sufficient Names Also Secured
to Form Junior Team; More
Youngsters Wanted by the
Sports Association.

To date, Bill Gate, representing Coleman Sports Association, has secured the names of 48 youngsters anxious to play in the local Pee Wee hockey league. This is almost sufficient for five teams. However, there are many more youngsters who are potential hockey players who still have not registered. Shyness may be one of the reasons for not registering. Come on, youngsters, just call in at the Red & White store and tell Mr. Gate you want to play hockey and he will see that you get on a team.

It might be pointed out to parents that the youngsters will be under constant supervision. They will have good coaches to teach them the time of their young lives chasing the puck around the ice. Coax your youngster to record his name and get placed on a team. He may be a hockey star of the future.

Sufficient names have been secured to form a junior team and it is understood that plans are at present under way to start a Pass junior hockey league.

Names are also being recorded for juvenile and midget teams. Ice is now being built up at both the big arena and the open air rink and names must be registered quickly, as teams will be organized within the next week or two.

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CHRISTMAS BUYING
BITS PEAK

During the past several weeks the local stores have been quite busy with Christmas shoppers. The volume of shopping is gradually increasing and it is expected it will hit its peak on Saturday next, which is pay day.

The majority of the stores have been building up fairly good stocks and judging from the many parcels being carried by the buying public they appear to be getting goods to their particular satisfaction.

A few stores have their windows decorated and are quite attractive. There still remains, however, too few stores lighted up in the evening to attract window shoppers, who take the opportunity of having a casual walk around main street in the late evening and see what the various stores have to offer in the way of Christmas gift suggestions.

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CARD OF THANKS

The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Paul's United Church wish to extend their sincere thanks to those who in any way assisted in making the bazaar and tea of Dec. 2 a real success.

FUNERAL OF ADAM MORRIS, SR., HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral of the late Adam Morris, sr., who died on Tuesday, Dec. 5, was held at Holy Ghost church this morning at 10:30. Requiem High Mass being sung. Interment was in Coleman Catholic cemetery. Rev. Father L. Sullivan conducted the services.

Mrs. Murdoch Sampson, of Nova Scotia, arrived here during the week to attend the funeral of her father.

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European Children Must be Given Aid

Eight million children in France are without shoes of any kind, now in mid-winter, Robert St. John, American war correspondent, said in a public address at Toronto recently sponsored by the Save The Children Fund, Canadian committee.

Children of all the overrun countries of Europe are mentally and physically diseased and constitute a great threat for “tomorrow” when they are grown citizens, Mr. St. John warned.

“Unless a constructive, long-term program is directed for these children by the United Nations, a generation of cynical, strange and bitter people will evolve in many of these countries,” he added.

“In some countries every single one is a potential Hitler. Unless we are careful we will have a million in every country of Europe. Even now we see youngsters refusing to give up their guns to representatives of authority.

“These are the people of tomorrow and they are a tremendous challenge to us,” Mr. St. John added. “They are diseased in mind as well as body, for they have never known freedom from ariens, from bombs and from hunger. As many as 75 per cent of the children of Athens have contracted tuberculosis.

“Unless we can save the children of Europe, God help our children,” he exclaimed.

Even in England, a country which has not been invaded, children have been subject to an air of constant uncertainty, said Mr. St. John. One out of every two London houses is uninhabitable, and the V1 and V2 bombing will probably go right on, he said, until the end of the war.

He lauded such organizations as the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of Canada and Newfoundland, which since war began has contributed more than \$60,000 to the Save the Children Fund for the relief of British children.

“If we find ourselves unmoved by a pure humanitarian desire to help these citizens of tomorrow, then let us do so merely for our own protection,” he urged.

Mr. St. John is just back from London and Paris. He left the United States for Europe the day before war was declared, saw the Polish campaign, the fall of Yugoslavia, Greece, Crete and the battle of Britain.

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It Does taste good in a pipe

Picobac
The Pick of Tobacco

The Mining Industry

DURING THE WAR YEARS there has been a great reduction in the production of metal articles for civilian use. This is understandable in the light of the obvious importance of metals in the manufacture of arms and military equipment. Canada is now the largest metal exporting country in the world, and as such, has been able to make an outstanding contribution to the war program of the United Nations. Aluminum, copper and nickel are among the many metals that are of the utmost importance in warfare and Canada produces all these. Magnesium, a metal in great demand for the manufacture of aircraft, is also found here, and the development of its production has been one of the outstanding achievements of our war effort. Mercury production is another wartime development of note. Canada having opened the only large mercury mine in the British Empire. Since 1942 this mine has supplied all our own needs, and provided enough for export to Britain and the United States.

Supply Exceeds Normal Demand

Canada's metal supply is considerably in excess of her normal needs, but some indication of the demands which have been made on this supply during the past few years, is demonstrated in figures given for the export of certain metals for war purposes. These figures show that at the outbreak of war, Canada contracted to send more than 1,000,000,000 pounds of aluminum, copper, zinc, nickel and lead alone to the United Kingdom each year. These amounts were increased when hostilities commenced in the Pacific and the United States entered the conflict. While the great volume of these exports has undoubtedly considerably depleted Canada's mineral wealth, there are indications that there are still vast deposits here which give promise of great development in the future. Many of these deposits lie in the areas known as the North West, and it is likely that there will be numerous opportunities there for the opening of new mines, to replace some of those now exhausted by the demands of war.

Future Growth Is Important

In recent years interest in the development of new mining sites in Canada has been limited. The Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy last year presented a report to the Advisory Committee on Reconstruction, showing the dates on which mines now in use, were discovered. This report revealed that 63 per cent. of the mines now in operation were opened before 1910; 11 per cent. between 1910 and 1920; 21 per cent. between 1920 and 1930; and five per cent. since 1930. Modern methods of discovering new mineral deposits have replaced those of early prospectors, and trained geologists, using electrical detecting devices, now locate new mine sites with speed and accuracy. Much of Canada's hope for the future lies in the continued expansion of the mining industry, which before the war gave employment to 107,000 people and contributed indirectly to the support of 1,200,000, or one-tenth of the total population.

Sherman Outclassed

Milk Heals Wounds

Allied Troops Have Praise For Germany's Royal Tiger Tank

Many officers and men of the Second Armored Division in Germany, believe Germany's new "Royal" or "King" Tiger tank is the best tank in battle to date.

"Our Shermans are all right in their class, but they are out-classed,"

knocked out on this front, but the men who did it say it is a question of a lucky shot or simply overwhelming them with other tanks on tank destroyers.

The new Royal Tiger weighs between 67 and 72 tons has a top speed of about 20 miles an hour, and its 8 inches of armor in front will turn Allied 75 and 76 mm. shells at ordinary distances. Armor on the side is two to three inches and on the back three to four inches thick.

It has a new super velocity 88-mm. gun with a shell almost a foot longer than any previously used.

The barrel of the 88 is more than 21 feet long.

Bamboo Cane

It Now Is Grown In England And Scotland

All around Britain a strange harvest is being gathered in—a harvest of bamboo cane. Before the war only Cornwall grew this crop, but through the dying off of supplies from China and Japan the strong British cane has become of front-line importance. Its strength is the main reason why bamboo cane is indispensable for the support of heavy fruit crops. There are bamboo groves even in the north of Scotland where some of the finest canes grow. The cane dealers (usually growers) will travel to any part of the British Isles to buy the whole grove outright, so heavy is the demand for crop supports. Bundles of 100 carefully graded canes are tied on a special bundling machine, a rack with a strong food pedal, which ropes them together.

Beethoven, the great musical composer, showed signs of deafness

Soviets Make A Paste Of Pressed Milk That Has Curative Qualities

Soviet scientists have developed a paste of pressed milk which is effective in curing wounds. In a Novosibirsk hospital where several men whose wounds healed very slowly, in vacane blocking, ultra violet ray

treatment, antiseptics, and permanent baths not proving of much value. The special milk paste was applied and the wounded were soon well again. During the Leningrad blockade, this paste was used in all the Leningrad hospitals.

Ordinary straight pins are among the scariest articles in Holland today.

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R.C.A.F. Sergeants Major In New Role

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W.M. Mills

J. E. Montgomery

MacIain, Montreal

L. G. C. Abbot, Camp Allot, Haney, B.C.

W. O. R. L. Loveday, London, Ont.

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GERMAN LONG RANGE ROCKET OPERATORS HAVE NOT ACHIEVED A GREAT DEAL OF ACCURACY

LONDON. German long-range rocket operators, despite approximate instruments in the rocket, have not achieved "very great accuracy" with their vengeance weapon, the air ministry announced.

Air intelligence experts, in the first official, comprehensive statement on Germany's V-2, admitted that "the design and the construction is undoubtedly a considerable technical achievement," but added:

"The military value of the weapon at present is extremely doubtful." Accuracy at present is not very great."

Use of the cautious phrase "at present" was coupled with the statement that "there is evidence that the Germans were forced to use the V-2 mags will not be in a position to correct their errors either by altering the adjustment of the instruments in the rocket or by other necessary modifications."

REPAIR LONDON

American Engineers Placed At Disposal Of British Government

LONDON. Gen. Eisenhower has placed 3,000 American engineers at the disposal of the British government to help in the repair of London.

This was announced by Duncan Sandys, minister of works. He said more than 70,000 damaged houses still were inhabited when the winter repair program began.

Repairs now being undertaken will cost more than £35,000,000 (about \$167,500,000).

PLAN OPPOSED

LONDON. The government's plan for an all-in national health service was rejected by more than 200 doctors and surgeons, members of the British Medical Association, at a conference here. Shortage of doctors and objection to the profession being made a "government department" were the main obstacles mentioned.

The mechanism is so arranged that the rocket is pointing upwards at an angle of about 45 degrees about one minute after launching. At this time the fuel supply is cut off, either by remote radio control from the

house adjourns until Jan. 31.

OTTAWA. The commons adjourned to Jan. 31 1945, immediately after supporting a government motion of confidence.

COMMENTS ARE MADE ON THE BRITISH POLICY IN RESPECT TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ITALY

LONDON. The Manchester Guardian in an editorial described the United States state department's announcement of a hands-off policy concerning the Italian government as "a sharp snub" for the British government.

"It is a rude statement and it is meant to be rude," said the Guardian. "... the American papers of the last few days have shown very clearly that British prestige as a democratic power is running downhill..."

Commenting on the announced British opposition to Count Sforza as prime minister of Italy, the Guardian said: "Whatever popular suspicions there may be in the United States about the genuineness of our democrats' policy are shared in an even higher degree by our other great ally, Soviet Russia."

It urged the British government to "be desperately careful not to get into these positions," saying: "We simply cannot afford to make international political blunders."

The London correspondent of the Yorkshire Post said: "The Washington declaration in smacks of that self-righteousness from a distance which characterized United States policy in former times.

The sentiments enunciated by the state department are admirable. But they are self-evident. Perhaps the British government did not convey their objections to Count Sforza in quite the most tactful manner. But why this chilly recital of the obvious from Washington?

"Washington's reference to what should be done in liberated United Nations territories betrays a somewhat unfaltering attitude. It suggests that we need not only a slap but a leading string. Yet we have marked our road quite clearly in advance. We believed that the liberated peoples should hold elections so soon as free and genuine elections can be held."

Promoted



Lieut.-Col. Lawrence Edmund McCooey 48, Ottawa, who has been promoted from acting rank of major and appointed as assistant to the chief of the general staff. He succeeds Coy. H. L. Cameron, O.B.E., recently appointed military secretary to the minister of national defence. Col. McCooey is a permanent force soldier and resides at Ottawa, Ont.

INVESTIGATE TAXATION

OTTAWA. Two royal commissions investigating aspects of taxation are being organized in Ottawa. One, headed by Mr. Justice Ernest McDougall of Montreal will investigate the question of taxing the co-operative organizations. The other, headed by W. C. Ives, former chief justice of the trial division, supreme court of Alberta, will inquire into annuities and succession duties in respect to income.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

General Alexander Visits Troops



A recent photograph of Gen. Sir Harold Alexander who is now a field marshal and has been appointed supreme Allied commander in the Mediterranean theatre of war. Here Gen. Alexander studies enemy positions with the aid of binoculars, in Italy.

Gen. Leese Takes Over Command



Lieut.-Gen. Sir Oliver Leese, right, chatting with Lieut.-Gen. Pownall on his arrival in Ceylon. Gen. Leese, who is to take command of the 11th army group under Lord Louis Mountbatten, in succession to Gen. Sir George Gifford, was formerly in command of the British 8th army in Italy.

OIL SANDS

Make Progress In Extraction Of Oil From Mineral Sands

TORONTO. Progress is being made with experiments in the extraction of oil from the mineral sands of Alberta. N. E. Tanner minister of lands and mines in the province of Alberta told a gathering of investment dealers, stock brokers and developers here.

Mr. Tanner reviewed the developments in the various oil fields and pointed out that while production in the Turner Valley reached its peak in 1942 and was now on the decline, new fields gave promise of more than making up for the decline. Explorations were now proceeding on a large scale in a half dozen fields, and to the north Abasud and Oil Sands Limited, further north, were actively tackling the problem of separating the oil from the sand. It was estimated, said the minister, that a ton of sand contained about one barrel of oil.

LETTERS ALL ALIKE

Members Of Parliament Swamped With Mail From British Columbia

OTTAWA. Mail boxes of members of parliament these days are jammed with letters, all the same but signed by different persons and most of them made in British Columbia.

They call on members to "adopt democracy's program of all for one and one for all," ask for "national military conscription" as the first step toward "total conscription of men, machines, material and money with national service from all and profits to none."

The letters are reaching individual members at the rate of 50 to 100 a day and one member estimated a total of 50,000 had reached the parliament buildings. They all come from letters addressed to members at Ottawa are eligible for free carriage.

FINEST AIRPORT ON THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT IN OPERATION NEAR EDMONTON

GERMAN BOMBERS

Operations Curtailed Owing To The Lack Of Fuel

ROME. Germany is suffering such a drastic fuel shortage as a result of Allied bombing attacks on refineries that some German pilot training centres have been closed down and the enemy's bomber force has been "practically abandoned." Lt.-Gen. Ira C. Eaker, Mediterranean air force commander said.

Gen. Eaker said the Ploesti oil field in Romania was the bloodiest air battlefield of the war, with the Americans losing 350 bombers and 10 times more than 500 fliers, but he declared it was worth the cost.

When the attacks began, he said, the Germans were getting 26,000 tons of petroleum products daily from the Ploesti fields. Toward the end production was cut to 3,000 tons daily, of which the Nazis were able to get out only a small portion.

IN FULL COMMAND

Report Says Hitler Keeping Hitler Out Of Public Affairs

OTTAWA. Indications have seeped out of Germany that Heinrich Himmler, No. 1 Nazi during the current apparent eclipse of Adolf Hitler, has reached some sort of political-military truce with Germany's up-in-arms general.

One consideration in the reported truce was said to be that Himmler would keep Hitler under cover and make him keep his hands off military affairs.

Reports said Himmler was keeping Hitler in what amounted almost to confinement by over-emphasizing his poor health and filling him with fear of another attempt on his life if he came out of hiding.

EDMONTON. Carved out of bush and rich farmland at Namao, 10 miles north of here, a \$7,000,000 airport, described by officials of the north-west division, United States Engineers, as the largest field, in area, on the North American continent, now is in operation.

The field, in use by the United States army air forces, has two all-concrete runways about 7,000 feet in length and the airfield itself covers more than 2,500 acres of ground. U.S. engineers say it is able to handle the biggest planes that can take to the air.

Commanding officer of the field is Maj. Ted F. Dunham, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who says "It is the finest airport on the North American continent today. There is absolutely no obstruction on the approach to the runways, except the buildings in Edmonton, and those are 10 miles away."

"This will be the airport for Edmonton after the war. It can handle the biggest and heaviest aircraft that are going to be built."

Work on the field was started Aug. 1, 1943, and it was completed Nov. 27, this year.

Ferried aircraft and tactical planes going to the Russian front are landing at the Namao field. The airport becomes the property of the Canadian government when the U.S. releases it.

LIVING COST UP

OTTAWA. The Dominion bureau of statistics reported its official cost-of-living index calculated on the basis that 1935-39 equals 100, advanced from 118.6 at Oct. 2 to 118.9 at Nov. 1 for a wartime increase of 18 per cent.

China is the world's leading producer of sweet potatoes.

PREDICTS A SHORTAGE OF FARM LABOR NEXT YEAR IF THE WAR IS NOT OVER

OTTAWA. Indications are that to consolidate markets as they have been in the last three or four years will be difficult with the shortage of labor in 1945, and "if we do not it will be recommended that wheat acreage be cut from 23,000,000 acres will be because the war is over," to 21,000,000, Agriculture Minister Gardner said here.

In an address to the 12th Dominion-provincial conference on agriculture, Mr. Gardner said that if farm labor needs were to be met every farm organization would familiarize itself with the call-up regulations "as one means of taking care of a situation that may become difficult."

The minister said Western wheat growers have never before been able

to bring wheat production and carry-over down, and so put Canada in a better position to discuss markets and prices after the war.

O. S. Longman, Alberta's deputy minister of agriculture, suggested that surplus wheat be held back on farms as an inducement to farmers to maintain livestock.

Necessity of a price based on the cost of producing butter was urged by R. H. M. Bailey of Edmonton, president of the Dairy Farmers of Canada.

J. G. Taggart, chairman of the Canadian meat board, said that if the "best half" of the hogs now coming to market are used, they will equal in quality what used to come from Denmark to the British market.

Normally, Canadian bacon should have direct passage from the packing plant to the place of consumption," he said. Bacon is cured in Canada and is supposed to go from smoke houses to the distributive trades in Britain, but it has been necessary to store "very large quantities" there.

The speed and facility with which Canadian bacon can be moved from Canadian packing plants to retail channels in Britain must be improved. Quality of hogs is essential, but continuity of supply is important.

H. H. Hannam of Ottawa, president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, suggested the calling of a conference on hog production shortly. He said the last five years had seen a complete change in agricultural policies.

The conference recommended that the production of most farm products in 1945 be maintained at the 1944 level. The food production program for 1945 must be "more flexible" than any recommended in recent years.

An increase in the production of feed grains and maintenance of the present acreage of summerfallow were recommended, together with increases in oil-bearing crops such as flax, sunflower, rapeseed and soybeans; tobacco, corn, beans and many seed crops.

Premier Of Italy Resigns



Premier Ivanoe Bonomi of Italy, and his cabinet resigned following two weeks of attacks by left wing groups. The 71-year-old Bonomi who succeeded Marshal Badoglio after the fall of Rome last June, resigned after a conference with all party heads. Crown Prince Umberto, lieutenant-general of the realm, has begun discussions with party leaders on formation of a new government. Count Carlo Sforza, minister without portfolio to the Bonomi government, is widely mentioned as the next premier. Photo radioed from Rome shows: Crown Prince Humbert (right) salutes as he reviewed Italian troops in company with (left to right) Count Sforza, new premier Bonomi and an unidentified British officer.

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Local News

Mrs. J. J. McIntyre has returned home from Calgary.

Mrs. J. Kinnear, jr., visited at Lethbridge on Friday.

Miss Isabel McInnes, of Bellevue, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Kinnear, jr., last week.

Wm. Antle, jr., returned home at the week end, after spending several months with relatives at the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lynn, of the North Forks district, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Derbyshire.

LAW Margaret Cornez, based in eastern Canada, is spending a furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cornez.

Mrs. J. Burns has returned to her Pincher Creek home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. George Barbour.

Mrs. R. Ferguson last week received the sad news that her brother, John Lorimer, had died at his Sydney, Nova Scotia, home.

Miss Charlotte Reevely, of Calgary, returned home on Wednesday morning, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Gardner for a few days.

The Journal welcomes new readers to its columns this week in the persons of Pte. John Niman, overseas, and Miss Eira Jones, Claremont.

Mrs. Janet Daniels, of Blairmore and formerly of Hillcrest, will leave tomorrow for Vancouver, where she will take up future residence.

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Local News

Mr. Newsome is a hospital patient at Pincher Creek.

Harry Vincent is a patient in the Calgary General hospital.

Mrs. Herb. Sherratt visited at Lethbridge during the week end.

Mrs. George Kellogg, of Midnapore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Kinney, sr.

Mrs. J. Penney returned home last Friday, after spending a few days at Lethbridge.

Wednesday: War Intercession 7:30 p.m.

Choir practice 8 p.m.

Thursday, St. Thomas, Apostle; Holy Communion 9 a.m.

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday will be Ember Days, when we pray for the ministry of our church.

We will be happy to hear from any one desirous of giving flowers or evergreens for the Christmas festival. These should be brought to St. Alban's not later than the morning of Saturday, 23rd.

...V... 'LIFEBOAT' - ACTOR'S IDEA OF A DREAM COME TRUE!

No picture in Hollywood history ever came closer to being an actor's dream than Alfred Hitchcock's production of "Lifeboat," by John Steinbeck, which opens Saturday at the Palace theatre.

Starred in the 20th Century-Fox picture is Tallulah Bankhead, with William Bendix, Walter Slezak, Mary Astor, John Hodiak, Henry Hull, Heather Angel, Hume Cronyn and Canada Lee in featured roles.

Those present included: Light & Water Co., L. A. Campbell, H. A. Howard, J. J. McTyre, P. A. Dickeson, and A. L. Johansson, solicitor. Council: Mayor Antonius, Councillors: Abousafa, Cox, Dutil, Jenkins, Lowe and Ramsay, and Solicitor D. G. Mackenzie.

...V... ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH
Rev. W. E. Brown, Rector
Daily offices:

Matins 9 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m.

The Third Sunday in Advent:

Matins 11 a.m.

Young people's service 2 p.m.

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In the first place, the director is Alfred Hitchcock, the master of suspense.

The story is by John Steinbeck, who wrote such powerful and memorable triumphs as "The Grapes of Wrath" and "The Moon is Down."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Capt. James Sidney Critchley, pioneer motorist who took King Edward VII for his first motor ride, has died at the age of 79.

The naval ensign flown at Cap Gris Nez by the commander in charge of the 15-inch cross-Channel gun battery has been given to Folkestone.

Canadian Universities will have a high priority in the allocation of surplus war materials, officers of the war assets corporation said at Winnipeg.

Shoe repairs now cost a little more in Britain. Repair shops have been permitted to increase their prices by about one-half cent in 25 cents.

Maj.-Gen. Edward Owen Hay, C.B., believed to be Britain's oldest general, celebrated his 98th birthday at Tunbridge Wells, England.

The first group of blinded soldiers recently arrived in England from France are being instructed by blind-ed veterans of the First Great War.

A Chinese seaman was sentenced to four months in prison for importing into Britain nine pounds of opium, enough in the judge's opinion "to stock a good den."

During the first year after she was commissioned, the new "V" class destroyer Vigilant crossed the Arctic Circle 17 times and spent 271 days at sea.

To take advantage of Anglo-Russian trade relations after the war, the Manchester Chamber of Commerce has set up a Russian trade section for which there has been widespread support.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
DECEMBER 17

CHRISTIAN LIVING AT ITS BEST

Golden text: If we live by the Spirit, the Spirit let us also walk. Galatians 5:25.

Lesson: Galatians 5:22-6:10.

Devotional Reading: 1 John 4:7-21.

Explanations and Comments
The Fruit of the Spirit, Galatians 5:22-6:10, is one of the most studied by the Spirit. It shows virtues against which there is no law, such as love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness, self-control. Instead of "self-control," the King Version has "temperance" for this. In the original translation was made the word was not limited as it is today, but meant the avoidance of many evils, "the practised mastery of self." Observe that Paul does not speak of "freedom" of the Spirit, but "freedom" and "not of the virtues, but all of them" show that one's life is under the control of the Spirit of God.

If we live by the Spirit, by the Spirit let us walk, walking by the Spirit. If the Spirit has control of our lives, then we are living righteously.

Virtues that Show the Fruit of the Spirit, Galatians 5:22-6:10. Gentleness is a quiet one who is gentle in leadership of the Spirit. "Even if anyone is detected in some trespass, brother," wrote Paul, "you are spiritual, you must set the offender right." The "fruit" of the Spirit, let each of you look to himself, even he, too, is tempted" (Moffatt's translation). The man who has fallen into sin should be dealt with leniently, for he is very different from a hardened sinner. Rector said, "set him right, correct, and bring him back to right actions." The cook means bring back the man "into his place," it is a metaphor taken from a dislocated limb, brought back by a skillful and tender surgeon, into place. "We are to be expert in setting broken wills, and in repairing broken consciences, and in mending broken hearts."

Bear ye one another's burdens, his weakness, his yielding to sudden temptation, his sorrow and remorse, may be his burden. Sympathetic, share his woes and sorrows. See Rom. 15:1. And so, by obeying this exhortation, fulfill the law of Christ, which is the law of love, Mt. 8:17. The connection of verse three with the preceding is evidently that one who has been born again, and who does so from mistaken pride from a false idea that he is somebody too exalted to stoop to another's burden. Let each man test his conduct by the example of Christ, and then, if he finds the test, he must rejoice in the cause of his own merit and not because he is better than his neighbor. He should not take others as a standard, and rejoice because he is better than some weaker or worse men. Recall the parable of the two sons. "Lord, I thank thee that I am not as other men," and compare with it Paul's glorying, "By the grace of God I am what I am."

Alberta Coal

Syndicate Acquires Property West Of High River

A syndicate of Canadian, British and American financiers has acquired extensive coal properties along the Highwood River, west of High River, Alberta, and plans to develop a mine there in the near future with an initial expenditure of \$2,000,000. Mr. R. O. Sweeney, Montreal financier, announced recently.

Tin was the first mineral mined in England.

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Rail Workers Set All Canada Loan Record



In the Seventh Victory Loan, the largest aggregate subscription to be made by any group of employees came from the men and women of the Canadian National System.

Investing about \$13,733,550 they exceeded their Sixth Loan record by \$4,606,450 and set a new record for all Canada. Including employees of Trans-Canada Air Lines and National Railways Munitions, there were 90,779 subscribers, 8,411 more than in the previous loan campaign.

Total subscriptions by Canadian National employees in the seven loans amounted to \$49,785,250. With pur-

chases of Victory bonds by the Company, aggregating \$90,536,900 the grand total was \$140,342,150.

The photograph, showing a cross-section of C.N.R. workers gathered about the Railways newest 6000-type engine, is symbolic of the Railways united effort. Train crews, shop forces, roundhouse workers, office and station staffs, maintenance of way and yard workers, telegraph, express, carriage, hotel and steamship workers—men and women all over the Dominion threw themselves enthusiastically into the campaign. Before the

loan drive ended, they were away over the top.

R. C. Vaughan, Chairman and President of the National System, when the final returns were in, issued a message of congratulations to the 2,500 volunteer canvassers and their 91,000 fellow employees on their record performance.

D. C. Grant, Vice-President in charge of finance and accounting, headed the system campaign organization. The loan drive in the Railways' three regions Atlantic, Central and Western was personally supervised by the vice-presidents in charge, J. P. Johnson, J. F. Pringle, and W. R. Devenish respectively.

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SHORT STORYNo Chimneys
In Mindanao

By MADGE ELWOOD

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"Santa Claus has a chimney," said the small Moro boy. "What is a chimney, a mantel and a fireplace?"

Marsha tried to explain. It was difficult in a country where there was no ice and snow. In the kitchen, Antido sang a lusty Spanish song. His parrot joined in the chorus. Marsha sighed. At home they would be singing Christmas carols. Why had she traveled over seven thousand miles to marry a man who cared so little that he was in the mountains with wild Moros on the trail of stolen ammunition? A man, she thought, who might not even want to marry her! The Army and this Island of Mindanao were strange and bewildering to the slender girl. It had seemed right when Don couldn't get leave to come to her, for her to come to him. Antido, his houseboy, seemed to think that it was wrong. "Boss Captain tell Antido take care woman. He back Christmas Day and marry. Much trouble in Mindanao. Women much trouble, too."

Marsha jumped as a cocomat fell on the tin roof and the parrot screeched vociferously. She picked up the book and again read, "Twas the night before Christmas and all through the house." The small Moro boy waited until she finished. "Santa Claus, he come tonight with toys? How he come without chimney? Book say chimney."

Marsha knew she should never read the poem. This child was Hassin's boy. Hassin held Don's career and life in his hands. Hassin was the Moro chief, who'd taken Don and his battery on the mountain expedition to recover the ammunition that had been mysteriously lost at the Post.

"Hassin," the Army wives said, "is dangerous. His child can't be sent away from the house. Hassin would be angry if the boy so much as shed a tear."

Antido added, "Hassin has a sharp halo."

"How," Hassin's only child interrupted. Marsha's bitter reflections, "can this American Santa Claus bring toys without a chimney?"

She had planned to entertain the boy, help him and see help Don. For Hassin's friends were his son's friends. It was easy to buy toys, but not so easy to find a chimney and a fireplace. She couldn't order one built overnight. And that was what interested Hassin's son. "The stockings were hung by the chimney with care," he chanted. "Down the chimney, Saint Nicholas came with a bound."

There were tears in the small boy's eyes. "Santa Claus, he will not come. There is no chimney." He looked up at Marsha.

"He'll come," she promised more to herself than the boy, "he'll come," and she read the last line, "Happy Christmas to all and to all a good night."

Then she started. What had she done? Tomorrow would be Christmas. Don would return, for they were to be married in the afternoon.

MONEY FOR
ORGANIZATIONS!

Church organizations and other groups can add to their funds by selling the Health League's 1948 Nutrition Calendar, which contains 12 calendar pages and 12 charts. These calendars, in colour, are as attractive as they are useful and they retail at 25¢ each. Organizations may obtain lots of 25 or more at 15 cents each calendar. For calendars or further information, write:

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A Good Suggestion

Ontario Man Thinks Community Debating Clubs Would Be Helpful

Troubled by a certain nostalgia that the cracker barrel debating club has more or less passed from existence, W. H. (Billy) Moore, M.P. for Ontario county, has suggested a substitute. He hints at a citizens' workshop where the farmer and the worker and the small businessman of the village and community can get together to discuss the state of the war, the weather, the government, county and school finances, what to do with Hitler and how we're going to pay the baby bonus. Mr. Moore isn't very specific about the "workshop" and of the suggestion. It sounds more like a talkshop with a bit of whittling thrown in. But something ought to be done about it. In these days of automobiles and tractors and combines, trucks, trailers and speed neighbors whiz by one another with little time for a greeting, and we're losing that community touch that makes for good thinking and good government. Perhaps that's why we're splitting up into a plethora of political parties, adding one or two a year to the national quota. We don't seem to have time to argue things out, and sift the good from the bad.

We have a lot of faith in Mr. Moore's suggestion for a community debating club if we could only find some place where people would stop long enough at a time to meet their fellow men and argue it out—Lethbridge Herald.

Research Laboratory

Will Be Constructed At Saskatoon To Utilize Farm Products

The Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, announces that a research laboratory to cost approximately \$200,000 will be constructed in Saskatoon adjacent to the University buildings. Extended research will be made to find a profitable industrial outlet for farm products and also to investigate the possibilities of industrial uses for plants now regarded as weeds.

This Week's Pattern



By ANNE ADAMS

Here's the new elongated waistline very slimming in Pattern 4866. Trim button-front is a timer-saver in dressing, in ironing.

Pattern 4866 comes in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48. \$10. 30 lbs. 50¢, yards 35-inch and a yard contrast.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamp cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send to: 16th Avenue, Pattern Dept., Wimborne, New-York, 175, McDermott Ave., E., Wimborne, Man. "The slimming of the waistline of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

Marsha smiled. She moved closer and touched the fireplace of boards covered with white satin. It had at last made a wonderful first and last appearance. Antido, in the kitchen, started to teach his parrot some new words. Life was so complicated with women!

Former Boy Scouts

Some Have Won Awards In Air Force During War

Wing Commander G. W. Curry, D.S.O., D.F.C. and bar, who led the great aerial attack on the Dortmund-Ems canal, and for which he was awarded the D.S.O., was a former Boy Scout. He was a member of a Newcastle-on-Tyne Troop, served as a patrol leader, was a King's Scout and won his gold cords for earning 18 proficiency badges, reports Scout News. Another dam-buster, Wing Commander Guy Gibson, V.C., who led the attack on the Moehn and Eder dams in 1943, was also a Boy Scout.

SHOW DECREASE

Oil production in Alberta in the first nine months of 1944 was 6,585,842 barrels, a decrease of 722,827 barrels, a decrease of 722,827 compared to the same period last year, it was revealed in a report issued by J. L. Irwin.

Practically every part of the cow, including the blood, is used in making aeroplanes.

The new Kellogg's "Weight Control Plan" gives you vital facts on menu planning and holding your "ideal weight. Scientifically prepared weight-control menus (at three caloric levels) for every day in the week. Prepared by competent authorities, this booklet will help you and your husband look your best, feel your best."

Look for the new Kellogg's "Weight Control Plan" packed inside the top of every package of Kellogg's ALL-BRAN—the delicious food that aids natural regularity. Get your copy at your grocer's now.

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Everyone Can Help

General Effort Is Required To Avoid Danger Of Inflation

In Durban, South Africa, the Price Controller was appealed to by a native who married a girl with the understanding that he would pay her father \$88 plus seven cows. But when he went to get the girl, the father had raised the cash payment to \$128, because of the increased cost of living due to the war. Someone told the bridegroom about the Price Controller and the native appealed to him, but the official had to admit that the case was beyond his power to remedy. Even this primitive man could see the solid common sense and usefulness of price control and asked for its protection, comments Edna Jaques, the well-known writer, making a strong appeal to Canadian women to support all price control regulations.

Studying the price story in various countries, the writer notes that the Confederation of Civil Organizations in Mexico City not only upholds control but thinks that officials who do not uphold it are traitors and should be shot.

On the other hand, China's inflation is such that a common fifty-cent meal would now cost about \$125 in Chinese national dollars. A man's suit that would regularly sell around \$30 is now priced between \$800 and \$900 and the charwoman who used to get around \$2 a day would now demand \$500, if she would come at all.

War correspondents in Rome were greatly annoyed when they had to pay \$1.13 for two boiled eggs and a cup of tea, but here are a few prices that many a Roman housewife is up against. Sugar 10¢ a pound; string beans 55¢ a pound; rice 5¢ a pound.

Hitler knew the vital importance of price control and in October 1936—three years before the war began—he clamped on a price freeze covering commodities in all stages of production, retail prices, trade margins, services and real estate.

Price control is a sort of dyke around the everyday business of buying and selling goods. A little trickle through at any point could mean a break in no time at all, a great flood that would engulf the country in the uncontrollable ruin of inflation.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. John Bayon, nee Nettie Gillespie, is a patient in Holy Cross hospital, having taken suddenly ill while on a few days visit to the city. Her father, Mr. Dave Gillespie, left for Calgary on Tuesday.

The Misses Peggy McDonald and Adeleine Van Maarion were Lethbridge visitors at the week end.

Sgt. and Mrs. John James, of Saskatoon, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. James.

Mr. A. Kostelnik is a hospital patient.

Mrs. M. E. Cornell arrived home last Thursday, after spending the summer and fall months at the west coast.

Tony Pietroszko, of the Canadian Navy, is home on furlough, which he is spending with his wife at Blairmore. Mrs. Joe Malanchuk is a sister.

Harry Parkinson, who has been in the army for the past few years, has received his honorable discharge, and is now back at his home.

Bill McGrath has commenced bartering at his old stand on main street after a long lay-off. Bill and Sam Riva are working together in the same shop.

Miss Margaret Vincent, at present in Calgary, will arrive home tomorrow and will be employed at the Huffman's Beauty Parlor during the holiday season.

Mr. J. Bishop, of Vancouver, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Liesemer, and Dr. Liesemer.

Mr. Ralph Root returned home at the week end after spending the past month at Lethbridge, where he had been called due to the serious illness of her sister.

Miss Eira Jones, of Claresholm, was the house-guest of Miss Louise Aboussaire during the week end. While here she renewed acquaintance with a number of her friends.

Mr. J. Glass, of Pincher Creek, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Read and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hoistead. He was also the guest for a week of Mr. Wm. Oliver at Blairmore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Pettifor spent a few days in Calgary last week. Mrs. Pettifor has since returned home, while Mr. Pettifor will spend the balance of his vacation at Edmonton, Brooks, Castor and other Alberta points.

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OLIVES, McLaren's, stuffed 9-oz jar .55

OLIVES, Nabob, stuffed, 6-oz jar .40

H. P. SAUCE, per bottle .35

TIP TOP SAUCE, per bottle .25

GOVERNOR SAUCE, per bottle .25

DALTON'S JOLLY GOOD SAUCE, per bottle .25

BEEFSTEAK SAUCE, Heinz, per bottle .30

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, Heinz, per bottle .35

RAYMORE RELISH, 24-oz jar .40

SOUR MIXED PICKLES, Dyson's, per jar .45

SWEET PICKLES — We expect some for next week's shopping

DILL PICKLES, Dyson's, per jar .40

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, Paterson's bottle .25

DRINKS

CANADA DRY, large bottle	.25
SPARKLING WATER, large bottle	.20
HIGH-N-DRY GINGER ALE, large bottle	1.55
Medium, 12 to a carton, per carton	1.15
Medium, 6 to a carton, per carton	.60
Large per bottle	.25

MUSHROOM SOUP, Clark's, 2 tins	.25
HEINZ TOMATO, 2 tins	.25
VEGETABLE, 2 tins	.29
GREEN PEA SOUP, Aymer, 3 tins	.35

CAMPBELL'S Chicken Noodle or Gumbo, 2 tins	.29
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SOUPS

HEINZ TOMATO JUICE, 20-oz tin	.15
LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE, 20-oz tin	.15
LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE, 48-oz tin	.33
CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE, 105-oz tin	.65
CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE, 20-oz tin	.15

TOMATO JUICE

APPLE JUICE, OR Brand, 15-oz tin	.16
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DRINKS

MIRACLE WHIP, 8-oz jar	.23
MIRACLE WHIP, 16-oz jar	.35
MIRACLE WHIP, 32-oz jar	.55

SALAD DRESSINGS

MARR'S FAMOUS, 8-oz jar	.25
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MARR'S FAMOUS, 32-oz jar	.55
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CHEESE

KRAFT, 1/2-lb package	.23
VELVETA, 1/2-lb package	.23
BROOKFIELD, 1/2-lb package	.25

IMPERIAL CREAM, 4-oz package	.17
GOLDEN LOAF, 1/2-lb package	.25

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